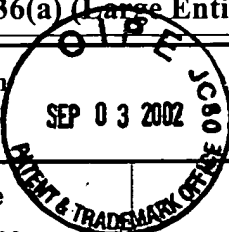


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**COMBINED AMENDMENT & PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF  
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In Re Application Of: **Burczak and Wilkinson**



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The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

☒ One month    ☐ Two months    ☐ Three months    ☐ Four months    ☐ Five months

from: **August 3, 2002**    until: **September 2, 2002**  
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INDEP. CLAIMS	4 -	4 =	0	x \$84.00	\$0.00
FEE FOR AMENDMENT					\$0.00
FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME					\$110.00
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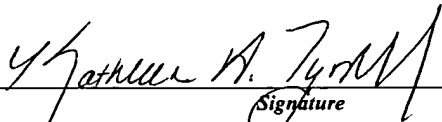
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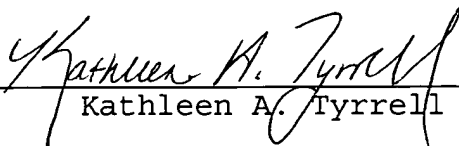
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